

Key Strategy: Engage students in the process of developing a “full-time” campus

In fall 2012, a student-majority 24/7 steering committee was created by the Office of Student Affairs. The committee includes representatives from a range of student organizations, student employees in various student service areas, non-traditional students, and graduate students. USI staff participate in a support role. The committee met three times during fall semester and developed a list of ideas to be considered in the spring, with final recommendations to be presented in May 2013.

Key Strategy: Identify and facilitate activities, spaces, programs, and services to offer nontraditional hours

Cinema USI

Cinema USI has significantly expanded its services, now offering movie showings three times a week. New equipment currently being installed will further enhance the cinema experience for students and others.

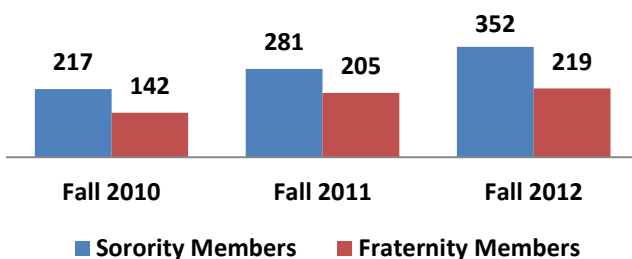
Cinema USI Statistics	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Change
# of movie titles	11	16	+5
# of movie showings	11	42	+31
Attendance	3,075	5,279	+2,204

The Loft Renovation

USI’s primary student dining center, The Loft, was completely renovated during the summer 2012. New food options include a full-service bakery, larger salad bar, more Italian selections, and a new Asian option. In addition, significantly more seating was added, allowing for individual and group seating arrangements and themed seating areas (sports, movies, and international) as suggested by a student advisory board.

Fraternity and Sorority Life

Opportunities for students to participate in fraternity and sorority life expanded as interest increased significantly over the past two years. New fraternal and Panhellenic chapters have been added to meet the demand.



The Recreation, Fitness and Wellness Center

- Expanded hours from 98 to 113 hours per week
- 1,412 bike checkouts during fall 2012 from the new bicycle checkout program
- 38% increase in climbing wall usage since 2011
- 10% increase in camping gear checkouts since 2011

RFWC	Fall 2011	Fall 2012	Additional Hrs.
M-TH	6am - 11pm	6am - 1am	8
Fri	6am - 8pm	6am - 10pm	2
Sat	10am - 6pm	10am - 8pm	2
Sun	1pm - 9pm	1pm - 12am	3

Key Strategy: Encourage students to be deliberate in their co-curricular activities

OrgSync

Use of OrgSync, a software package purchased in January 2012, has increased dramatically and provides benefits for both students and staff.

- Easier for prospective and current students to find information about student organizations at USI
- Provides 24-hour access to resources and services of departments and organizations
- Streamlines process for organizations and individuals to submit forms to the Office of Student Development

OrgSync Statistics	Spring 2012	Fall 2012	Change
# of orgs/depts. using OrgSync	77	133	+56
# of events posted on OrgSync	406	944	+538
# of individual users	582	3,536	+2,954

Emerging Leaders

Emerging Leaders is a new semester-long program that focuses on preparing individuals to succeed and contribute to USI as student leaders in subsequent years.

- 25 freshmen have been selected for the Spring 2013 cohort

“Just in time” Programming for Freshmen

Housing and Residence Life provides “just in time” support programs, targeting freshmen.

- **Social integration:** Helps residents meet others and get involved in activities on campus and in the community - 457 freshmen resident participants
- **Safety:** Teaches how to be safe on campus and make sound decisions - 22 freshmen resident participants
- **Academic support:** Provides information about finals, exams, and how to get academic support across campus - 106 freshmen resident participants